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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the matter of

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the International Application of  
BODET, Jean-Francois et al  
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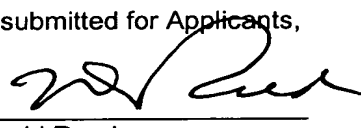
Before computing the fees for entering the captioned International Application into the U.S. National Phase, please enter the following amendments **IN THE CLAIMS**:

- \* In each one of claims 3, 5, 6 and 7 please replace the phrase "the preceding claims" with --Claim 1--.
- \* In each one of claims 8 and 9 please replace the phrase "any of the preceding claims" with --Claim 1--.
- \* In Claim 10 please replace the phrase "any of claims 1-8" with --Claim 8--.

The support for these amendments is found in the claims as originally filed. These amendments are being entered to bring the claims into conformance with, *inter alia*, 37 CFR §1.75; no new matter is added.

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